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### <u>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL</u>

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

#### Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previou Paid Fo	-	Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	7	20	=	0	X	\$18.00	=	\$
Independent Claims	1 -	3	=	0	X	\$84.00	=	\$
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims						\$280.00	=	\$
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#### Amendment A.

- (X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Official Action mailed December 18, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:** 

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) A head actuator for a head provided so as to be accessible to a disk-shaped recording medium rotating above a base, said head actuator comprising:

a main actuator driven so as to rotate above said base; and